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VERMONT CENTRAL AND SULLIVAN RAILROADS.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

Commencing July 6, 1868.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH AND EAST.

Leave St. Albans at 6:25 a. m., 12:00 noon, and 8:00 p. m.
Mail Train leaves Rouse's Point at 4:00 a. m., receives passengers for Ogdensburg, R. L., and connects at White River Junction with the White River and Boston, Worcester, Springfield, and with trains on Passumpsic R. R., arriving at New York at 10:45 p. m.

Day Express leaves Montreal at 8:30 a. m., St. Johns at 10:00 a. m., Ogdensburg at 5:30 a. m., Rouse's Point at 10:45 a. m., for Boston, Arriving in Boston via Lowell at 10:30 p. m.
Night Express leaves Ogdensburg at 1:00 p. m., Montreal at 3:30 p. m., Rouse's Point at 6:35 p. m., St. Johns at 8:00 p. m., arriving at Boston at 8:40 a. m., connecting at Bellows Falls with Cheshire Road for Boston and Worcester and with Vermont Valley Railroad for Springfield, Vt., and arriving in New York at 12:30 p. m.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH AND WEST.

Leave St. Albans for Montreal at 6:10 a. m., and 6:35 p. m. For Rouse's Point, Ogdensburg and the West at 6:45 and 11:00 a. m., and 7:10 p. m.
Day Express leaves Boston via Lowell 8:00 a. m., for Burlington, St. Albans, Montreal, Arriving at Montreal at 10:00 p. m., Ogdensburg at 5:30 a. m.
Mail Train leaves Boston via Lowell at 7:00 a. m., via Lawrence and Fitchburg at 7:30 a. m., Springfield at 7:45 a. m., for Burlington and St. Albans.

The trains leaving Boston via Fitchburg at 7:30 a. m., and Springfield at 7:45 a. m., connect at White River Junction with the Day Express Train.
Accommodation Train leaves Northfield at 7:45 a. m., for Burlington, Rutland, St. Albans, Rouse's Point, Ogdensburg, Arr.
Night Express leaves Bellows Falls at 10:00 p. m., receiving passengers from Vermont Valley Railroad, leaving New York at 12:15 p. m., and from Cheshire Road, leaving Boston at 5:30 p. m., connecting at White River Junction with train leaving Boston at 5:00 p. m., for Burlington, Rouse's Point, Montreal and Ogdensburg, connecting with steamers and Grand Trunk Trains for the West.

Sleeping cars are attached to both the night Express trains running between St. Albans and Boston, and St. Albans and Springfield.
Through tickets for Chicago and the West for sale at the principal stations.
G. MERRILL, Sup.
St. Albans, May 23, 1868.

RUTLAND AND BURLINGTON AND VALLEY RAILROAD.

On and after Dec. 24, 1867, trains will run as follows, viz:

MOVING SOUTH AND EAST.

Leave Burlington at 8:30 a. m., 1:45 p. m., 3:20 p. m., 9:45 p. m. Arrive at Rutland at 11:25 a. m., 4:10 p. m., 8:00 a. m., 12:50 a. m.
Leave Rutland at 8:30 a. m., 12:00 p. m., Arrive Bellows Falls at 7:30 and 2:20 p. m., a 4:25 a. m.
Leave Bellows Falls at 7:30 a. m., 2:25 p. m., 4:30 a. m., Arrive at Rutland at 8:50 a. m., 3:20 p. m., 4:27 a. m.

MOVING NORTH AND WEST.

Leave Rutland at 11:00 a. m., 4:45 and 9:00 p. m. Arrive at Bellows Falls at 12:00 a. m., and 5:40 and 9:55 p. m.
Leave Bellows Falls at 12:35 p. m., 3:45 p. m., 10:10 p. m., Arrive at Rutland at 3:10 p. m., 9:40 p. m., 12:35 a. m.
Leave Rutland at 6:00 a. m., 1:20 p. m., 3:20 p. m., 1:30 a. m., Arrive at Burlington at 9:45 a. m., 4:25 p. m., and 6:15 p. m., 4:15 a. m.

TRAINS CONNECT AS FOLLOWS:

At Burlington with Boats on Lake Champlain and Vermont Central and Vermont and Canada Railroads, for Montpelier, St. Albans, Rouse's Point, Montreal, Ogdensburg, and the West. At Rutland with trains for Troy, Albany and New York, Saratoga Springs, Schenectady, and the West. At Bellows Falls with trains on Cheshire Road for Fitchburg, Worcester, Lowell, and Boston. With Vt. Valley Railroad, for Brattleboro, Springfield, Hartford, New Haven, and New York, and with Sullivan Railroad for Windsor, White River Junction, Wells River, St. Johnsbury, Newport, Larkston, and the White Mountains.

Passengers for the West will find this a cheap, pleasant, and expeditious route.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT—1864-5.

On and after Monday, Nov. 14, 1864, Passenger Trains will run as follows:

UPWARD TRAINS.

Day Express Train leaves Concord at 9:35 a. m., for White River Junction, connecting with trains for Montpelier, Burlington, Rouse's Point, Montreal, Vt., and with Ogdensburg and Grand Trunk Railroads, for the West.
Mail Train leaves Concord at 10:45 a. m., for White River Junction, connecting with train for Wells River, St. Johnsbury, Barton, Newport, Willoughby and Magog Lakes, Stanstead, Bath, Littleton, and Lancaster; also, with trains for Montpelier, Burlington, St. Albans, Rouse's Point, Montreal, Ogdensburg, and the West.
Bristol Train leaves Concord at 3:30 p. m., for Franklin and Bristol.
Evening Express Train leaves Concord at 8:15 p. m., for White River Junction, connecting with trains for Montpelier, Burlington, St. Albans, Rouse's Point, Montreal, Ogdensburg, and the West.

DOWNWARD TRAINS.

Morning Express Train leaves White River Junction for Concord at 1:15 a. m., or on arrival of train from Ogdensburg and Montreal. On Mondays at 6:25 instead of 1:15.
Bristol Train leaves Bristol for Concord at 8 a. m., and Franklin at 9:12 a. m.
Mail Train leaves White River Junction for Concord at 12:15 p. m., or on arrival of trains over the Vermont Central, Passumpsic, and White Mountains Railroads.
Day Express Train leaves White River Junction at 4:58 p. m., or on arrival of trains from Montreal and Ogdensburg, Brattleboro, Keene, Bellows Falls, Windsor, New York, Lowell, and Boston.
ON SLOW STEAMERS, Agents, Concord, N. H., Nov. 10, 1864.

TRUNKS OF ALL KINDS; TRAVELLING BAGS OF ALL KINDS, AT

WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

CLOTHING STORE

SOMETHING ON

LAKE STREET.

MORTON & PERCY!

Having bought of G. W. Blodgett his now and entire stock of

CLOTHING, FURNISHING GOODS, HATS, AND CAPS, ROOTS AND SHOES

Feel satisfied in saying to the public that they can sell goods as low as can be bought in Franklin County. All we ask is to have customers come in, and satisfy themselves, before purchasing elsewhere. We have, and are receiving, all the new styles from market, consisting of

READY MADE CLOTHING,

FURNISHING GOODS, LINEN AND PAPER COLLARS

Of endless varieties, and a large and well selected Stock of

Boots and Shoes, Rubber Coats and Boots.

Which we will sell low for cash. We have the largest assortment of

HATS AND CAPS

To be found in Northern Vermont. If you don't believe it, call and see for yourselves. Our Clothing is New and Desirable, consisting of

SPRING OVER SUITS, BLACK SUITS, LIGHT COLORED SUITS, CASIMERE AND VESTS, LINEN VESTS, TIES, AND BITTIONS.

Boys' and Youths' Clothing.

We have a few Winter Over Coats left, that we will sell at a big discount from cost, for cash. Remember the place, Two doors West of the American House, Lake Street.

MORTON & PERCY, ALBERT N. PERCY, Formerly with Wm. N. Smith & Co

Elihu H. Huntington.

[SUCCESSOR TO A. H. MERRILL.]

ASKS attention to the following partial list of articles, which I will sell at the lowest rates for cash.

AMERICAN WATCHES.

Howard, Tremont, Millrose, and all the different grades of Waltham, National, and United States Gold and Silver American Cases, of the best styles. Also,

Gold and Silver Swiss Watches.

Ladies' Gold Hunting Watches, American and Swiss. The latest and best patterns of Gold, Plated and Silver Chains, Fine Gold and Plated Jewelry of all descriptions. A splendid assortment of Ladies'

FINE GOLD SETS,

Ettraxan, Coral, Garnet, &c., &c. Gentlemen's Pins, Masonic Pins and Rings, Diamond, Emerald, Ruby, Amethyste, Pearl and Garnet Finger Rings, 18 Kt. Plain Rings, Gold Bracelets, Silver

Plated Spoons and Forks.

Extra and Treble Plate. Tea sets, Castors, Cake Baskets, Vases, &c., &c. Coin Silver Spoons, Thimbles, &c. A very large stock of Gold and Steel Spectacles, every pair sold warranted to suit. Pocket Knives, Shears and Scissors of the 1st quality.

Fishing Tackle.

I shall receive from day to day new styles of Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware, which I will sell at the lowest market rates. 427 Watch repairing and engraving done promptly. 14-17

HAT AND CAP STORE,

SOUTH MAIN STREET

The undersigned keeps constantly on hand a full supply of

HATS, CAPS, FURS, GLOVES AND MITTENS, UMBRELLAS, GENT'S COLLARS.

And an assortment of Gent's Furnishing goods in his line of trade equal to any in style and excellence of goods, and at reasonable prices. He has every thing in the hat line, from common straw to the last style of silk hat, and can suit all.

G. B. SMITH, 1-17 St. Albans, Vt., May 12, 1868.

NOTICE.

TO FARMERS AND OTHERS.—The subscribers having purchased and fitted up in good order, the Woolen Mill at Swanton Falls, formerly known as Platt's Factory, are now prepared to manufacture Cloths or Yarn for customers, or exchange the same for wool. A liberal share of patronage solicited, and satisfaction guaranteed.

N. B.—Office in south end of Factory, where may be found the books and accounts of the late firm of Platt & Hinkley.

MEIGS & HINKLEY, 218-17

WARD & BURNES,

Dealers in all kinds of

NEAT AND NEW! GROCERIES.

LAKE ST., ST. ALBANS.

First door above the St. Albans House, keep constantly on hand a full assortment of

The Drug Store on Lake Street.

FAMILY GROCERIES:

Consisting of

Flour, Meal, Provender, Shorts, And Feed Of all kinds;

Pork, Fish, Hams, Sugar, Teas, Lard, fresh Butter

GREENE & NICHOLS.

The undersigned having newly fitted up the store in the American House Block, on Lake St., and stocked it with a choice assortment of

DRUGS AND MEDICINES!

Respectfully solicit a share of the patronage of this community, feeling sure that they can give satisfaction in goods and prices. Our stock consists of

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, PERFUMERY, TOILET ARTICLES, DYES, &c.

UNION BLOCK.

Three Doors North of the American Hotel.

Where they have on hand a large assortment of

HARNESSES, TRUNKS, BLANKETS AND WHIPS.

Also, a general assortment of

SADDLERY HARDWARE.

LEATHER, &c.

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Those in want of goods in our line will do well to call and examine our stock before purchasing. 145-17

FULTON MARKET,

E. C. GALLAR, Proprietor.

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Meats, Fish, Tripes, and Sausages, Dried and Smoked Beef, AND ALL

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HALIBUT, MACKEREL, COD, CUSP and HADDOCK.

St. Albans, May 15, 1868. 5d-17

Morton & Percy's,

LAKE STREET.

Clothing at

THE

PIVOT ACTION BRACE!

A superior Suspender for Skirts or Pants! An unequalled brace for the Shoulders. Always a Suspender. A brace or not at pleasure. Its simplicity, durability, ease and convenience commend it to every Lady, Gentleman, or Youth. Examine for yourself, and be convinced that all herein stated is true. Prices, 75 cents, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50. 14-17

FOR SALE.

A pleasantly located residence in St. Albans, with one or two acres of land, as may be desired. Twelve good rooms, cellar, cistern, excellent well of water, house and barn nearly new. Apples, pear, plum, and cherry trees, partly in bearing, of best varieties. Also grape vines, etc. The cheapest place in town at the price asked. Terms very easy. For further particulars, enquire at the Transcript Office. 215-17

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the St. Albans Bank, a corporation, duly incorporated by the Legislature of the State of Vermont, located and doing business at St. Albans, in the county of Franklin, has made application to me, requesting me to issue a proclamation designating some day for the termination of the existence of said corporation;

And whereas, it has been made to appear to me that two-thirds of the legal votes of the stockholders of said corporation were given in favor of said application;

Now, therefore, I, Paul Dillingham, Governor of the State of Vermont, in conformity with said application, and the provisions of section eighty-six and eighty-seven of chapter eighty-nine of the General Statutes of Vermont, do hereby issue my proclamation, and declare that on the twenty-fifth day of March, A. D. 1868, the said corporation shall cease to exist as fully and with the same effect as if said charter expired by the limitation thereof.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto signed my name and caused the seal of the State of Vermont to be hereunto affixed, in Executive Chamber at Waterbury, this 23rd day of September, A. D. 1867, and of the independence of the United States the 91st.

PAUL DILLINGHAM.

By the Governor, WM. P. DILLINGHAM, Sec'y of Civil and Military Affairs.

LIQUID STAR DYE COLORS.

In the Market

Sold by Druggists Everywhere.

In St. Albans by LEONARD, BRAINERD & CO., No. 107 N. Main St., Waterbury, Vt., Sole Agents. February 7th, 1868. [202-3m.]

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VAN DYCK'S MADONNA.

In one of the splendidly decorated saloons of St. James was assembled a group of young and lovely girls, whose delicate fingers were busily employed in different kinds of ornamental needle-work, which under their skillful arrangement, formed bouquets which rivalled nature in the brilliancy of their colors and accuracy of shades. They were the Queen's maids of honor, and between their gay chattering and busy fingers employed the time while waiting for her rising. The only grave person in the assembly was the Dowager Duchess d'Alby, the chief of the ladies of honor.

Among the blooming group, the youngest was remarkable for the simplicity of dress and the quiet modesty of her whole appearance. Her attire was a dress of black velvet, closed to the throat, but of which the skirt, open in front, disclosed an under-dress of white satin; the sleeves came just below the elbow, and coquettishly disclosed an arm of the most dazzling whiteness. A plaited tucker circled her graceful neck, on which was attached a large cross, and the luxuriant hair, simply parted on the forehead, and confined behind by a lace scarf, completed her costume. This was the daughter of one of the most distinguished families of Scotland; her father, Lord Ruthven, united to a princely fortune a pedigree of which he was more proud than of his wealth. Lucy, his daughter, had secretly arrived at the English Court, on her appointment to a post in the Queen's household—there to complete the education which had been carefully guided by her father. Retired and simple in her tastes, her mind instinctively sought the sublime in the works of nature and art. She excelled in painting, and her genius had created a world of her own, in the daily contemplation of the productions of the best masters, which adorned the galleries of her father. Paul Veronese, Guido, Rubens, were of the number of her friends, and she vowed them eternal gratitude for the light their talents had shed on her solitude.

The habits and manners of Lucy contrasted strongly with those of her companions, who had been habituated to more independence and liberty. Gentle and timid to excess, she scarcely attempted to answer the sportive and often mischievous sallies of her companions. The large clock in the saloon chimed the hour of ten; all eyes were directed to it, and several voices exclaimed: "He's very late!" just as a domestic announced the painter, Van Dyck. The announcement caused a general agitation among the smiling group. Each one changed her position on her velvet seat, rearranging her dress, and composing her countenance, sought to give additional grace to her aspect. The young pupil of Rubens, albeit accustomed to the sight of beauty, could not suppress a murmur of admiration at finding himself in the midst of this brilliant circle.

The old duchess, supposing the young painter's embarrassment to be caused by her own imposing appearance, to encourage him, addressed him in these words: "I am told you have talent, young man!"

"Those who have so informed you do me too much honor, madam; doubtless they judge me by my intentions, but I have as yet, produced nothing worthy of attention."

"There was as much confidence and noble pride in the reply of the painter, as there had been arrogance and impertinence in the address of the noble dame.

Lucy, who possessed the high spirit of her country, was shocked at the insolent tone of the Duchess, and now blushed with pleasure at the reply of Van Dyck. As her soft eyes rested approvingly on his face, he understood her feelings, and thanked her by a look for her generous sympathy.

"Well, we shall see. Her Majesty wishes to renew the ornaments of her chapel, so you will be fully employed, a residence will be assigned you in yonder monastery. There you will copy undisturbed. In summer, also, you shall have a fit residence, beside a pension from government. This I think is paying an artist pretty well."

"Art cannot be paid for, my lady Duchess, and if I possessed the talents to which I aspire, the favors which you boast could not purchase them."

"This is all very well; you are proud, and we are noble; but, nevertheless, those honors are conditional—you will be chosen painter to the Queen, if you succeed in gaining the prize which is offered for the most perfect head of the Madonna."

"Ah, madam, if the patronage of her Majesty is offered me only on these conditions, I fear I shall not obtain it.

"And why not?"

"Because I shall not gain the prize," replied he, with an expression of sadness, which was instantly reflected on the face of Lucy.

"Why do you refuse this honor—do you fear to fail?"

"No, madam; but how shall I represent, as she should be represented, the mother of the Saviour? Where shall I find a model?"

As he pronounced these words, his eyes rested on the angelic face of Lucy.

"I have hitherto sought in vain the combination of mildness, sweetness and candor which should characterize the Virgin."

The fire of genius which illuminated the handsome countenance of Van Dyck elicited the admiration of all observers.

"But I should imagine that there would be no difficulty in obtaining models for painters."

"The models which can be obtained for hire, are beautiful without doubt. I have sought in vain for the dignity and purity which I have never seen united but in a noble lady, who would disdain to sit to a poor artist."

The animated and ardent glance of Van Dyck much embarrassed Lucy; it told her that he had at last found the object his fancy had depicted. The Duchess, however, had not observed it, and asked:

"Who is this noble lady?"

"The Virgin herself, madam!" Bow-